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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
IN RESPONSE TO JANUARY 27, 2003 FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND
PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed January 27, 2003 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application. A response to the January 27, 2003 Office Action was due April 27, 2003. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time from April 27, 2003 to July 27, 2003. Applicants have previously established small entity status. The required fee for a three-month extension of time is \$465.00 for a small entity and a check in that amount is enclosed. However, since July 27, 2003 falls on a Sunday, a response is due the next business day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or Federal holiday. Accordingly, a response to the January 27, 2003 Office Action is now due July 28, 2003 and this response is being timely filed.

Please amend the application as follows:

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